

CITIZENSHIP SCHOOL
FOR WOMEN VOTERSSuffragists Will Ask Dean
Loeb to Teach Machinery
of Elections.

MEET AGAIN JULY 1

League Addressed by Mrs.
George Gelhorn of St.
Louis, Honor Guest.

One hundred and seven Boone County suffragists decided to establish a citizenship school in Columbia and ask Dean Isidor Loeb of the University to teach the women of the town and county to become better citizens and voters. A committee consisting of Miss Ella V. Dobbs, Mrs. Rosa Ingels and Mrs. John E. Sykes was appointed to attend to all matters pertaining to the proposed school.

This action was taken at a luncheon and reception of the local organization of the Woman's Suffrage League of Missouri, held today at the Athens Hotel.

Mrs. George Gelhorn of St. Louis, president of the Women's Suffrage League of Missouri, the guest of honor, delivered the principal speech. "Suffrage," she said, "means that you will get what you want from the legislature and local governments. When you want better child welfare laws, better laws for women in industry, better schools and a host of other things, you will get them for the asking."

"The league must be careful not to have any party affiliations but this does not mean that it will advise women to stay out of the parties. On the contrary, it will advise women what the needs of the community are and will encourage them to seek to know the true condition of affairs so that they may join that party which sponsors the cause that they think the proper one. But don't any of you just slide into a party without knowing what you are doing. And when you are in insist if your just desires are not respected you will bolt the party."

Mrs. Gelhorn then spoke of the aims of the league and of its proposed organization. Committees are being formed to deal with the different phases of politics that particularly affect women. Women in industry, child welfare, education, illiteracy, unification of election laws and so on will all have the attention of specially trained bodies of experts.

"But all this takes money," Mrs. Gelhorn went on, "and the Missouri budget for next year is \$17,000. Your quota is \$250, of which \$70 has already been subscribed."

At the close of the meeting the remainder was given by members of the league present.

To Meet in Jefferson City.

A meeting of the league is to be held in Jefferson City on July 1. An "achievement luncheon" will be given to rejoice over the victories of the past and to discuss plans for the future. In the evening Governor Gardner will speak at a "ratification dinner."

A reception in the lobby of the Athens Hotel lasted from 11:30 till 12:30 today. The only other guest besides Mrs. Gelhorn was Mrs. Walter McNab Miller, former president of the league. After the reception came the luncheon. Between the courses the chairmen of the townships gave reports of their work in the last year and their plans for the coming year.

The chairmen are: Mrs. Burle King, Bourbon Township; Mrs. Ben Cartwright, Centralia; Mrs. Claude Jones, Rockfork; Mrs. Felix F. Davis, Perche; Mrs. W. W. Riggs, Cedar; Mrs. Ed Truitt, Columbia, and Mrs. J. E. Wrench, Columbia.

After the luncheon there were a number of four-minute talks by members who attended the golden jubilee of the National Suffrage Association in St. Louis. Mrs. W. K. Freudenberger spoke on the "Opening of the Convention."

Mrs. Rosa Ingels told of the "inquiry dinner" where a number of well-known workers told their views and resolved to inquire into the needs and requirements of women workers.

Traces Development of Cause.
Mrs. C. E. Algeo told of the history of the movement for women's suffrage in her talk, "Looking Backward." She traced the development of the cause from the time when it was seriously doubted that women had souls until the present, when equal suffrage is imminent.

Mrs. L. D. Shobe told of "the stones in the road" of the convention. Mrs. W. E. Harshe described the scene on the floor of the hall when the announcement was made that presidential suffrage had been granted to Missouri women.

Mrs. L. W. St. Clair-Moss explained the purposes of the League of Women Voters, which was organized at the convention. She told of the illiteracy and ignorance among so many of the newly made voters and of the necessity of explaining to them the electoral mechanism.

"Many women have lost their suffrage because they never heard of the primaries," she said. "Often the advantages that women might have gained were lost in this way and other

THE WEATHER

For Columbia and vicinity: Somewhat unsettled and continued warm tonight and Wednesday; probably local thunderstorms.

For Missouri: Unsettled but generally fair tonight and Wednesday. Continued warm.

Weather Conditions.

A few local showers fell at widely separated points but as a rule generally fair and warm weather has continued in the grain states and cotton region. The weather has continued unsettled on the Gulf coast; six inches have fallen at Galveston during the past 48 hours.

No material changes have occurred in temperatures and they continue to approximate mid-summer values.

The Missouri from Kansas City to its mouth will continue to fall steadily. The Grand will continue to fall.

In Columbia warm weather will continue during the next 36 hours or more with unsettled conditions at times; an occasional thunderstorm is probable.

Local Data.

The highest temperature in Columbia yesterday was 90; and the lowest last night was 71. Precipitation 0.00. Relative humidity noon yesterday was 50 per cent. A year ago yesterday the highest temperature was 100 and the lowest was 75. Precipitation 0.00.

(Summer time) Sun rose today 5:42 a. m. Sun sets 8:57 p. m. Moon rises 11:15 p. m.

Temperatures Today.

7 a. m.	73	12 m.	90
8 a. m.	76	1 p. m.	88
9 a. m.	79	2 p. m.	85
10 a. m.	83	3 p. m.	83
11 a. m.	89	4 p. m.	86

MEXICO IS RESENTFUL

Confidential Ambassador
Says U. S. Forces Violated
Sovereignty.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—The Mexican government considers the crossing of the border by American troops in pursuit of Villista bandits a violation of Mexican sovereignty, General Candido Aguilar, confidential ambassador to the United States, declared in a statement today.

ers equally inexcusable. Let us vote intelligently and teach our more ignorant sisters to do the same."

Miss Nita Collier, president of the Women's Self Government Association, spoke on the difficulties of maintaining a women voter's organization in the University. She said, however, that she hoped to see such an organization in the University next year.

Toward the close of the meeting, resolutions were adopted thanking Senator Frank G. Harris and Representative Wood Sapp of Boone County for their co-operation with the league and their efforts in behalf of women's suffrage.

Mrs. J. J. Phillips was elected county chairman and Mrs. Derby Bass secretary. The vote was unanimous.

VOTES ON PHONE OWNERSHIP

If Two-Thirds Favor Measure, Fulton
Will Manage Own System.

Fulton is voting today to determine whether or not it will own its telephone system in the future. At noon today, according to Ovid Bell, editor of the Fulton Gazette, who was in Columbia, the indications were that the vote would be about even. It requires a two-thirds vote to carry the proposition.

The council called the election on a \$50,000 bond issue. No other town in Missouri or large town in the United States has a municipally owned plant. This is the first time, so far as is known in Fulton, that the matter has ever been voted on in Missouri.

Those in favor of a city plant claim that it will avoid the raise in telephone rates, which Postmaster-General Burleson has permitted the Missouri & Kansas Telephone Company to put into effect.

EDITOR TO MARRY HIS REPORTER

Romance of Former Student Began
on Springfield Newspaper.

Nels E. Anderson, for the last three years managing editor of the Springfield (Mo.) Republican, will be married the first of next month to Miss Lucille Adams of Ozark, who is a former student of the University. Immediately following the ceremony the couple will leave for Belgrade, Serbia, where Mr. Anderson has been chosen to act as vice consul in the American consulate.

Until recently Miss Adams was a member of the editorial staff of the Republican where the romance began while the two were associated together in newspaper work. Mr. Anderson is one of the most prominent journalists in South Missouri.

DOUGHNUTS OR HAND GRENADES

Germans Mistake European Pastry for
Weapons of War and Fight Dual.

The European variety of doughnuts is a fried ball of soft dough with jam in the center, as the kernel of the affair. Germans are not used to these doughnuts; so that when two angry German civilians didn't know exactly what they were, they seized them as weapons and began bombarding each other. They might have continued, but for the prompt appearance of the bakery chief, Joseph Gremling of Toledo, Ohio, who explained that the doughnuts were victuals, not missiles.

CITY COUNCIL ORDERS
SURVEY FOR SEWERPlans to Take Care of Sewerage
for Next Fifty
Years.

BOND ISSUE SOON

Election May Be Held in
July or August to Raise
\$100,000.

The City Council last night, acting on recommendations of the street and sewer committee, directed John Silver, city engineer, to retain such help as necessary for making a survey and obtaining an estimate on Columbia's proposed new sewer system.

The estimate arrived at will be the basis of a bond issue election to be called fifteen days after the council adopts the report of the city engineer. The election is expected to come sometime in July or August.

Plans are being made for a sewerage system large enough to take care of Columbia's growing population for the next fifty years. The street and sewerage committee chairman said the cost of the survey would not exceed \$300 or \$400. The bond issue will in all probability approximate \$100,000.

To Improve Fire Department.

Tom Walden, fire chief, will go to Kansas City next week where he will attend a national convention of fire chiefs June 24 to 27. The City Council last night voted him expenses for the trip and directed that he exercise discretion in the matter of incurring expenses.

The fire chief was voted this outlay on the recommendation of Councilman O'Bryan of the fire committee, who expressed a belief that the head of Columbia's fire department could obtain ideas there that would help him in the discharge of his duties.

The old sidewalk on the east side of South Ninth street, south from the Ninth Street Garage to Locust, was ordered condemned and a new one built in its place. The mayor recommended that the street committee look around for other walks which are in very bad condition and bring them to the attention of the council. The discussion which followed brought to light another walk on Walnut street which is also badly in need of repair or replacement.

Condemns Old Building.

An old building standing at 13 South Fifth street was reported by the fire committee as in such a condition that it should be condemned. Years ago this old building was used as a church. Recently it has been standing vacant and is said to be about to fall down. The matter was referred to the fire committee and to the city attorney.

Complaints which had come to several of the councilmen on different occasions about the high hedge fence and permission grove at the corner of College avenue and Rollins street were reported to the council last night. It is alleged that this is a dangerous corner which has caused several near accidents because the view is obstructed at that corner.

Investigation of the law on the matter seemed to reveal that the city had no power to order the grove cut or the hedge trimmed, since the grove is a government experiment and the hedge protects an orchard. The matter was referred to the street committee with the council's recommendation that University authorities have their attention called to the possibility of accident at the corner if the hedge stands untrimmed.

New Walks Ordered.

An ordinance was passed providing for the building of a concrete sidewalk on the north side of Cherry street nine feet wide from Tenth street west to the alley.

The Court street sidewalk discussion, which had come up at a previous meeting of the council, was revived. A motion was carried to reject bids on the work and postpone indefinitely building of the walk.

Money was appropriated as follows: From the water and light fund, \$1,535.20; from the security fund, \$15.35; and from the general revenue fund, \$268.46.

Mayor Gordon, Councilmen Stehens, Rothwell, McQuitty, Davis, O'Bryan and Nowell answered to roll call, Councilmen Barkmen and Sommerville being absent.

BOONE COUNTY FARMER DIES

Haydon Carter, 29 Years Old, Succumbs
After Week's Illness.

Haydon Carter, a farmer, 29 years old, living two and a half miles north of Columbia, died at 6 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after being ill for over a week. Mr. Carter was a graduate of Columbia High School and had lived in Boone County. He is survived by his parents and two sisters.

The funeral took place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Columbia cemetery. The Reverend Mr. Hart preached.

Son for Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Waite.

A son was born this morning at Parker Memorial Hospital to Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Waite of Columbia.

TENSION IN PARIS
GREATEST SINCE 1914Crowd of French Holds First
Demonstration Against
German Delegates.

BRITISH NAVY READY

Feeling of Uncertainty Prevails
Over Acceptance of
Treaty.By FRED S. FERGUSON
(United Press Staff Correspondent).

PARIS, June 17.—With peace or war to be determined before 7 o'clock Monday evening, the tension in Paris now recalls that which prevailed before the opening of hostilities in August, 1914.

Count Brockdorff-Rantzau is en route to Weimar today with a retinue of seventy-three delegates to present to the National Assembly the Allied reply to the German counter proposals, which was submitted at Versailles yesterday.

The feeling of the French was illustrated when the Germans left on the special train at 9:45 last night. A crowd of 4,000 persons gathered at the station shouting and insulting the enemy representatives. This is the first demonstration in the weeks the Germans have been in France.

Latest advices from Berlin and Weimar reiterate that the Germans will not accept the revised treaty without important modifications.

Through an official press advice, it was stated that the German government had been advised from time to time of the alterations in the treaty and that it was already in possession of the main changes.

The feeling of optimism so prevalent in the Allied circles the last few days, has changed today to a feeling of uncertainty.

The armies of Marshal Foch are waiting on German soil for word to much to Berlin or to be reduced to the status of mere police.

The great ships of the British navy, their movement shrouded in mystery, are known to be prepared for a quick descent on the almost unprotected German coast if the result is war.

Clemenceau Note Astonishes Germans.

By CARL D. GROAT
(United Press Staff Correspondent).

WEIMAR, June 16.—The German peace delegates were astounded at the note of Premier Clemenceau which accompanied the Allied reply to the counter proposals, according to advices from Versailles received by the government today. The note was characterized as "harsh," "smashing" and "gruff."

Officials declared that the summary was even less conciliatory than the Paris press predicted.

War Minister Noske, Dr. Eduard David and Count Von Bernstorff, upon receipt of the summary, telephoned to President Ebert and Chancellor Scheidemann, leaving the group immediately to join the president and the chancellor for conference.

When government leaders learned of the reply they expressed bitter dissatisfaction and declared that the Allies' answer "stupefied" them. The peace delegates also reported that when they left Versailles for Weimar a crowd jeered and stoned them, one man and one woman being injured by the stones.

Will Take 3 Days to Consider Terms.

The cabinet will meet formally tomorrow to consider examination of the reply. The German decision on signing the treaty will probably be reached Friday and communicated to the Allies in Versailles the next day.

The National Assembly will begin discussion Wednesday. The National Assembly, according to a previous plan, will vote on the reply after a three-day consideration of the new terms.

Count Brockdorff-Rantzau will immediately return to Versailles then and publish Germany's answer on Saturday.

WANTS LEAGUE DELIBERATION

Knox Opens Senate Fight for Separating
Treaty and Covenant.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Warning Democrats against any stand denying the Senate or the American people opportunity for mature deliberation upon the League of Nations, Senator Knox today opened the Senate fight over his resolution, virtually separating the peace treaty and the League covenant.

Handles 160,000 Pieces of Mail Daily.

By United Press.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—More than a ton of incoming and nearly as much outgoing mail each day have made it necessary for the Bureau of War Risk Insurance to build up a postal system larger than any other of its kind in the country. Eighty thousand pieces of incoming mail and 80,000 outgoing letters constitute the daily average of the bureau. Handling, delivery and collection of this amount requires the services of more than 100 persons.

THE CALENDAR

June 17 to July 27.—Y. W. C. A. outing at Hollister.

June 19.—Spring term of the University ends.

June 20.—Enrollment for summer term of the University.

June 21.—R. O. T. C. camp at Camp Funston starts.

June 24-26.—Missouri Music Teachers Convention at Stephens College.

July 4-5.—Clifford Devereux Corporation will present three plays in the University Auditorium.

August 14.—Summer term of the University ends.

August 26.—Registration for the fall term of the University starts.

WILSON PLANS TO BE
IN U. S. BY JULY 4After Treaty Message to Congress,
Will Tour Country
3 Weeks.

TO BELGIUM SOON

Won't Discuss Knox Resolution
But Will Direct
Democrats.By ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Press Staff Correspondent).

WASHINGTON, June 17.—President Wilson plans to open his fight for the peace treaty and the League of Nations covenant in Belgium during his visit there.

Assuming that the Germans will sign the peace treaty on schedule time, he now plans to leave France for home June 24 or 25. This means that he will be back in Washington by July 4 or 5.

It was officially announced today that two or three days after he delivers his treaty message to Congress he will start on a three-week tour of the country.

The President in his message to Congress will go into detail as to the needs as he sees them for the League of Nations and for ratification of other treaty provisions.

The message will probably be the opening gun in the League fight on this side, although a private dispatch received here discloses the President's intention to make the League a subject for discussion in his speeches in Belgium.

The President's itinerary has not been made complete and no dates have been fixed for his visit to cities because of the uncertainty as to the date of his return home. However the full tour plan will be announced coincident with his departure.

Owing to the fact that he is returning to Washington soon and that the peace business is virtually complete, President Wilson will not discuss the Knox resolution but will direct Democratic leaders how to handle that measure.

The President's determination to fight for the peace treaty and the League is indicated both by the announcement of his prospective tour and by his instructions to his advisers.

It has not been decided yet whether President Wilson will deliver his treaty message to Congress before a special joint session or to the Senate alone.

PRAISES DR. F. R. HEDRICK

Army Officer Writes to President Hill
About M. U. Teacher.

The educational director of the Third Army of Occupation, United States Forces in Germany, writes President A. Ross Hill of the University from Coblenz:

"It has been my good fortune during the past few weeks to be brought into contact with Dr. E. R. Hedrick, professor of mathematics in the University of Missouri, and I send this unsolicited expression of the appreciation I feel for the scholarly inspiration he has brought to us in the service we are attempting to render our soldiers who belong to the American Army of Occupation in Germany. Doctor Hedrick has been a member of the committee appointed by the A. E. F. University in Beaune to visit our educational work in the Third Army. His inspiring character, his fine scholarship and his distinguished success have made him peculiarly helpful to us and I have felt that you should know how grateful we are for the patriotic service he has accomplished."

"With expressions of high regard, I am,

Faithfully yours,
GUY POTTER BENTON, Educational Director, G-5, Third Army, U. S. Army Educational Corps, A. P. O. 927, A. E. F."

COLUMBIA WILL CELEBRATE

Georgious Display of Fireworks Will
Symbolize Spirit of Patriotism.

The Elks Lodge of Columbia promises the people of Central Missouri a real old-time Fourth of July celebration. Everyone able to come, within a radius of 100 miles, is expected to attend the celebration.

A wrestling match, a boxing match, dancing a display of fireworks are features of the program. The fireworks display will be symbolic of Columbia's spirit of patriotism.

Bruce Campbell, national exalted ruler of the Elks of East St. Louis, will be the main speaker in the evening, preceding the fireworks display.

There will be numerous other attractions and amusements, all kinds of soft drink stands, shoot the chutes and wheel of fortune.

A barbecued dinner will be served and there will be lunch stands on the ground to appease the hunger of the five thousand people the Elks are expecting to attend.

Soldiers to Speak at Prayer Meeting.

At the prayer meeting service of the Christian Church Wednesday night, Berry Hulen and Conley Fay will tell of their experiences overseas.